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In re Application of  
Spring, et al.  
Application No. 10/813,874  
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Title: SUPPORT APPLICATIONS  
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: DECISION NOTING JOINDER OF  
: INVENTOR AND PETITION  
: UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a) MOOT  
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This is in response to the "Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a)," filed January 14, 2005, and supplemented on January 24, 2005.

Petitioner has submitted a Declaration executed by the previously non-signing inventor Jose Armando Pena in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63. Therefore, in view of the joinder of the inventors, consideration under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is not necessary and the petition is considered moot. This application does not require Rule 1.47(a) status, and no such status should appear on the file wrapper. This application need not be returned to this Office for further consideration under 37 CFR 1.47(a).

The \$200.00 petition fee, submitted January 14, 2004, will be refunded to deposit account no. 50-0320.

The file is being forwarded to Technology Center 2100 for examination *in due course*.

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